# **MOVING VAN SIZING GUIDE**

#### Your Ultimate Resource for a Seamless Move

Welcome to the Moving Van Sizing Guide from Man and Van Weymouth! Whether you're downsizing, relocating, or just need to transport a few items, choosing the right van can make all the difference. This guide provides an overview of our van sizes, key factors to consider when making your choice, and practical packing tips to help ensure a smooth transition. Let's explore how we can make your moving experience as efficient and stress-free as possible!

## Van Size Overview

## 1. Small Van (Luton/Transit)

• Capacity: Approximately 500-600 cubic feet

Ideal For: Studio apartments, small one-bedroom

• flats, or minimal furniture. Great for students or individuals moving locally.

## 2. Medium Van (Long Wheelbase Transit)

- Capacity: Approximately 800-1,000 cubic feet
- Ideal For: Two-bedroom homes or small families.
- Perfect for moving medium-sized loads, such as furniture and appliances.

## 3. Large Van (Luton with Tail Lift)

- Capacity: Approximately 1,200-1,500 cubic feet
- Ideal For: Larger family homes, three-bedroom
  houses, or multiple-room moves. Excellent for extensive belongings, including larger furniture items.

## Packing Tips for a Successful Move

Efficient packing can streamline your move. Here are key tips:

- Declutter: Sort items into 'keep,' 'donate,' and 'discard' categories to lighten your load.
- Use Quality Materials: Invest in sturdy boxes, bubble wrap, and strong tape to protect your belongings.
- Label Boxes: Clearly mark each box with its contents and destination room for easy unpacking.
- Pack Smartly: Place heavier items at the bottom and fill empty spaces with soft items to prevent shifting.
- Fill Empty Spaces: Use soft items like towels or clothes to cushion and stabilize your packed boxes.
- Take Inventory: Keep a detailed list of your packed items to ensure nothing gets lost during the move.

## Factors to Consider When Choosing a Van

#### **Volume of Belongings**

Take stock of your items. Make a list of large furniture pieces, boxes, and appliances. If you have a lot to move, a larger van will save you from multiple trips.

#### **Access and Parking**

Check the parking situation at both your current and new addresses. If your street has restrictions for larger vehicles, a smaller van might be more practical. Always consider the space needed for loading and unloading.

#### **Fragility of Items**

Delicate items such as glassware, artwork, and electronics may require extra care. Ensure you have sufficient space to transport these safely, as cramming them in with other items could lead to damage.

#### **Distance of Move**

Longer distances may require more careful packing to prevent items from shifting. Consider this when deciding on the size and type of van.

#### **Number of Helpers**

If you're moving with a few friends or family members, a larger van may be manageable. However, if you're going solo, a smaller van could be more practical and easier to handle.

## **Contact Us!**

Are You All Set to Reserve Your Van? At Man and Van Weymouth, our commitment is to deliver outstanding moving services that are customized to meet your needs. Just get in touch for a fast quote when you're ready to make a reservation!

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